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Officers Shoot at Man with Gun

On Sunday, May 21, 2017, at approximately 11:38 pm, officers responded to 3390 Homestead Road on the report of a possible shooting. A man called police stating he saw people coming up to the ramp of his apartment and thought someone was breaking in, prompting him to shoot them through the door.

Officers responded to the residence and began looking for suspects or victims when they confronted the man. According to a neighbor and other officers at scene, the man was given numerous commands to drop his gun before the officers fired shots. The man was unharmed and was taken into custody. A pellet gun was recovered at the scene. The man was transported to Columbus Police headquarters where he was interviewed and later released.

The man's name is not being released at this time. Charges are pending further investigation. Alcohol is believed to have played a factor in the incident. No injuries were reported.

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